

workers will be absorbed by the Bombay Port Trust and later on, the Dock Labour Board will be absorbed by the Bombay Port Trust and later on, the Dock Labour Board will be abolished and merged with the Bombay Port Trust.

7. There will not be any deregistration of the workers so long as the objective of reducing the number of workers by about 2000 is achieved through voluntary retirement scheme.
8. The Government of India and the Bombay Port Trust will adopt suitable measures to assist the Bombay Dock Labour Board to meet their financial commitments including payment of arrears for the month beginning from September, 1991.

[Translation]

Export of Coconut

2981. SHRI RAJVEER SINGH: Will the Minister of COMMERCE be pleased to state:

(a) the target fixed for 1990-91 for the export of coconut;

(b) whether export was done in accordance with the fixed target;

(c) whether the target fixed for 1991-92

is more than the target fixed for 1990-91; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER OF THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE (SHRI SALMAN KHURSHEED): (a) Export of coconuts is not allowed.

(b) to (d). Do not arise.

Issue of Bonds by Public Sector Industries Companies

2982. SHRI RAJVEER SINGH:
DR. LAL BAADUR RAWAL:

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Union Government have given permission to the public sector industries/companies to raise additional resources by issue of bonds during 1991 and 1992 so far;

(b) if so, the names of these industries/companies; and

(c) the rate of interest/dividend to be paid in each case?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c). A Statement is enclosed.